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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
WATARU KAWATA ) : Examiner: Unassigned  
Application No.: 10/660,583 ) : Group Art Unit: Unassigned  
Filed: September 12, 2003 ) :  
For: SHEET FEEDING DEVICE WITH ) : October 14, 2003  
PLURAL SHEET FEEDING MEANS :  
FEEDING IN OPPOSITE DIRECTIONS )  
TO SHEET POST-PROCESSING :  
SYSTEM )

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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